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NH&S File No.: 30000338-341LCG

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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MITTAL STEEL NORTH AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

-against-

M/V "FONTHIDA NAREE", her engines,
boilers, etc., WESTERN BULK SHIPPING ASA,
WESTERN BULK CARRIERS HOLDING ASA,
WESTERN BULK CARRIERS AS, and
PRECIOUS CITIES LTD.,

Defendants.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and to enable judges and magistrate judges of the court to evaluate possible disqualification or refusal, the undersigned counsel of record for a private (non-governmental) party certifies that the following are corporate parents, subsidiaries or affiliates of that party which are publicly held:

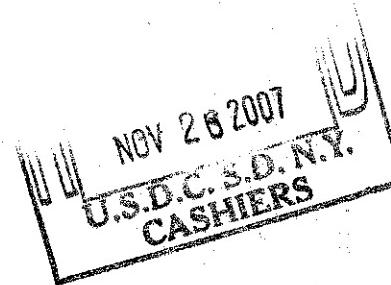
ArcelorMittal.

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**STATEMENT PURSUANT
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